

What is claimed is:

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1. A method for accomplishing an electronic image information transmitting service, comprising steps of:
    - selecting by a second party whether or not to receive the electronic image information transmitting service;
    - inputting by a first party with an inputting means information regarding the second party and a selection result by the second party in the selecting step;
    - converting by the first party an image on a developed photographic film or on a developed photographic paper exposed based on the developed photographic film into electronic image information when the second party selects so as to receive the electronic image information transmitting service;
    - accumulating the electronic image information converted by the first party in an accumulating means; and
    - transmitting the electronic image information by a transmitting means through a communicating means to a reception destination designated by the second party.
  2. The method of claim 1, wherein in the transmitting step for transmitting the electronic image information to the reception destination designated by the second party, the

electronic image information is transmitted to the reception destination designated by the second party together with information regarding the electronic image information transmitting service.

3. The method of claim 1, wherein in the transmitting step for transmitting the electronic image information to the reception destination designated by the second party, the electronic image information is transmitted to the reception destination designated by the second party together with additional information.

4. The method of claim 1, wherein the electronic image information accumulated in the accumulating means is eliminated when the second party rejects to accumulate the electronic image information in the accumulating means or offers to eliminate the electronic image information from the accumulating means or when a time period for accumulating the electronic image information in the accumulating means exceeds a predetermined time period.

5. The method of claim 1, wherein in the converting step for converting the image on the photographic film or on the photographic paper into the electronic image information, the

image on the photographic film or on the photographic paper is discriminated by an image retrieving soft or an image discriminating soft, additional information is selected in accordance with the discriminated image on the photographic film or on the photographic paper, and the electronic image information is transmitted together with the selected additional information to the reception destination designated by the second party.

6. The method of claim 1, wherein in the selecting step whether or not to receive the electronic image information transmitting service, a questionnaire is asked and additional information is selected in accordance with a response to the questionnaire, and the electronic image information is transmitted to the reception destination designated by the second party together with the selected additional information.

7. The method of claim 1, wherein in the transmitting step for transmitting the electronic image information by the transmitting means to the reception destination designated by the second party, after the electronic image information is converted into small volume electronic image information, the small volume electronic image information is transmitted.

8. The method of claim 1, wherein the first party is a developing laboratory and the second party is a user.

9. An electronic image information transmitting system, comprising:

a converting means to convert an image on a developed photographic film or on a developed photographic paper exposed based on the developed photographic film into electronic image information;

a accumulating means to accumulate the electronic image information converted by the converting means;

a transmitting means to transmit the electronic image information to a receiving means through a communicating means;

a customer information inputting means to input the customer information; and

a reception destination designated by a user to receive the electronic image information.